

REFERENCE TITLE: technical correction; trapping license

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# HB 2050

Introduced by  
Representative Seel

AN ACT

AMENDING SECTION 17-333.02, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES; RELATING TO TAKING OF WILDLIFE.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:  
2       Section 1. Section 17-333.02, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to  
3 read:

4              17-333.02. Trapping license; education; exemption

5       A. A person applying for a trapping license must successfully complete  
6 a trapping education course conducted or approved by the department before  
7 being issued a trapping license. The department shall conduct or approve an  
8 educational course of instruction in responsible trapping and environmental  
9 ethics. The course shall include instruction on the history of trapping,  
10 trapping ethics, trapping laws, techniques in safely releasing nontarget  
11 animals, trapping equipment, wildlife management, proper catch handling,  
12 trapper health and safety and considerations and ethics intended to avoid  
13 conflicts with other public land users. A person must pass a written  
14 examination to successfully complete the course. The department shall not  
15 approve a trapping education course conducted by any person, agency,  
16 corporation or other organization for which a fee is charged greater than  
17 twenty-five dollars per person.

18       B. A person born before January 1, 1967 or who has completed, from and  
19 after December 31, 1987 and prior to ~~the effective date of this section~~ MARCH  
20 1, 1993, the voluntary trapper education course on responsible trapping  
21 conducted in cooperation with the Arizona game and fish department is exempt  
22 from ~~the provisions of~~ subsection A.